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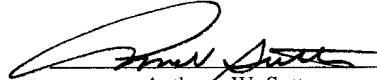
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Commissioner:


Enclosed herewith for filing in the above-referenced patent are the following documents:

1. Petition for Submission of Formal Drawings Prior to Publication of Application;
2. Formal Drawing (1 Sheet, Figures 1 and 2);
3. Petition Fee of \$130.00
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5. Return Postcard.

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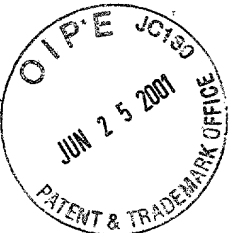
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PETITION FOR SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS
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Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.182, Applicants hereby petition to replace the informal drawings presently on file with the enclosed one (1) sheet of formal drawings (Figures 1-2) prior to the publication of the application. The petition fee of \$130 set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17 (h) should be charged to Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

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